MEW YEAR TEMPLE WORSHIP

BUTEVENG THE DEAD IN INDIA

The material is whitewashed stone

very attentive

Fairy Lightness in Party Frocks



could not symbolize more clearly ribbon with floating ends are caught youth and gayety and irresponsibility to the coat at the shoulders. They than they have this season. The thin- are of narrow ribbon, matching the nest and most vapory of materials girdle in color. Black velvet ribbon have divided honors with laces in may be used for them and for the point of favor for making them. And | girdle if a touch of dignity is needed everywhere silver and gold-thread to adapt this gown to an older wearer. laces lend sparkle to the general radiance of white and light colors in the silver-thread lace edges the underskirt

white net and venice lace. A fine covered cord at the bottom. Chiffon quality of voile might be used instead roses decorate the bodice and are reof the net, with good effect. Two-inch | peated in a wreath in the hair. This tucks, with spaces of equal width be- is one of those very dainty frocks tween, are hemstitched in the mate- whose usefulness begins and ends rial, covering all the surface. The with evening dress. The gown previskirt is short and round and the bod ice is cut in the surplice fashion, with | for afternoon and evening. the tucks in both running around the figure. There is a crushed girdle of gowns will appear for the use of those soft wide satin ribbon about the who journey South. They are in the waist. Very short sleeves, that hardly making and awaited with the keenest amount to more than a cap over the interest, for they are the most adaptarms, are finished with a frill of face able and refined of dainty things. But which extends only half way round they will not displace the party frocks

Party frocks for the young maid | made of venetian face. Bows of satin

In the party gown pictured above, of thin crepe or satin A wide over-One of the prettiest is made of dress of chiffon is edged with a satinously described may be worn both

In January the new "lingerie"

Occident. The spirit is one of cathof tuile and lace, given over to airi-Over this dress a long straight-ness and sparkle which make a grace hanging and sleeveless coat is worn, of being gay. All the races and all the religious rule of India is reflected in this day; Parsees as fire worshipers. but they also observe the New Year of Some Pretty Ribbon Things

> tent of knocking off work. The Hindus on their part are apt to herals and Hindu cremations. think it a shame to work on a Moham | On this day there were two Mohammedan New Year day when the Mosem population may be thronging the Hindu mourners, with their respective Jumma Musquid mosque. So it goes burdens at the burning ghat.

THEY CELEBRATE

THE OCCASION

FREQUENTLY BY KNOCKING OFF

WORK AND HOLD-

SOME BURY THEIR

DEAD, SOME BURN

THEM AND SOME

FEED THE CORPSES

NDIA beats the world for the

number and variety of its New

Year days and this is so be-XXX cause of the large number of

When a traveler who expects to

spend some time in the country goes

to the bank with his letter of credit.

usually a card is handed him on which

is printed the various holidays. This

is for his convenience, so that he

will not let himself get out of funds

and go to the bank in a hurry, only

to find it closed on account of some

boliday. The holiday may be Chris-

of the numerous Hindu sects.

tian. Mohammedan or that of any one

When the usual card was given me

in Bombay, says a writer, I noted the

number of these holidays which were

ascribed to New Year. They did not

ING FUNERALS.

TO BUZZARDS.

races and religions.

all round the circle of New Year holiod of calculating the time from the shaded walks and arbors and bowers, term . the "war boys" and in the op-Hegira in the terms of the Christian A luxuriant vegetation covers the erations in eastern Galicia they were era; but the easier way is to accept rocks, and there is everything that of great assistance to the troops. without question the fact that such goes to make a beautiful garden of In some of the artiflery battles, esand such a day is the New Year of flowers. the Mohammedan era. Similarly, the The towers of Silence, of which Czernovitz and Weinberg, schoolboys New Year of the Buildhists and the there are five, are hardly towers at in large numbers braved the shells and Frahmins and the Jains and the Sikhs all. They are about 275 feet in circ carried water and ammunition for the may be accepted without bothering cumference and perhaps 25 feet high, troops. about the calendar.

same as in England

ish authority it has less standing than | and seven kinds of incense are burned. | companions. the New Year of the Parsees, because Year days came on September 13 and | for the children, one for the women | were at the front.

on the Charni road Their churches or temples of worship are free from which is provided with drains and earned a good living for their mothers. architectural pretensions without and within. They are more like an ordi- purifier. pary hall. In this temple the women were gath-

On this New Year day there was a ered at one end of the room and the served only at a respectful distance. men at the other end. In the space There were the four professional body this war is written the schoolbers of between was a stand holding a lamp bearers, with the bier on their shoul- Austria will deserve a prominent place with the eternal fire under glass. The ders, and a procession of perhaps fifty, in its pages.

THE BRAVEST FLOWERS.

are often mild and pleasant, and the hardler reminders of the garden year

guests assembled, flowers of the pansy, the English daisy and the wallflowers.

These latest flowers are doubly appreciated, and have an appeal not possessed

December is not all bleak winter here, by any means. The earlier days

flame was very clear. A venerable | mourners in their white robes walking the canvas over and squint at the lux bearded priest stood beside the lamp. two abreast, each pair holding a hand- ury desired by the British soldier who His discourse was earnest and solemn | kerchief. The Parsee accounts say Both man and woman hearers were that the body is received by two beards the Spectator and a small can of ined attendants at the entrance to the sect powder!" The ceremonies of worship are quite towers, and that by them the shroud exactly bear out the humorous de simple, but the mysteries of the faith is removed and then vultures do the To Fortify the System scription of every day in the year as may be less so. The Parsees who rest. This is probably what happened a New Year day, but there seemed have been educated in England and that day

HINTE CO.

these New Year days because the written by a Parsee barrister in Lon- of the towers and then disappeared stream of Asiatic life which circulates don, which explained the creed of the within. In a few minutes they rethrough it includes all the civilization followers of Zoroaster as one of good appeared.

Orient, with some additions from the with the sacred flame as a symbol of the dead is, perhaps, as the Parsees against the law." the effulgence of the deity. It is not say, more sanitary than the Christian denied, however, that contact with burial in the earth, or even than the Hindus and Monammedans has caused Hindu cremation. It meets the tenet of shooting glances at a fellow. sects observe the New Year of the corruptions to creep into the creed, of their faith that fire, water and earth Christian calendar, because British The Hindus and Mosiems regard the are too sacred to be polluted. But IMITATION IS SINCEREST FLATTERY the western mind cannot become ac-It was on a New Year day that I customed to it.

the different races and religious drove out to Malabar hill, where are In conclusion, it may be said that among themselves, at least to the exclosured the Towers of Silence, or the there are other New Year observ. It is the original. Darkens your hair in Parsee cemetery. Every traveler takes ances in India besides the New Year Whether in Bombay or Benares, the this drive. It is past the other ceme of the Christians, Mohammedans, Hinmonkey temple has its throng of Him | teries, Christian and Mohammedan dus and Parsees. There is a Chinese du worshipers, and the Mohamme burial grounds and the Hindu burning colony in Bentinck street, Calcutts, and dans often are not unwilling to share ghat. The cemetery of the Christians the Chinese there observe the New in the observance to the extent of is no longer used, but on almost any Year as they do in the United States, foregoing their business activities, day there will be Mohammedan fu- or in any other section of the world in which they are found.

AUSTRIAN YOUTHS IN WAR

The Austrian newspapers are devot-Malabar hill is the choice spot over- ing considerable space at present to looking the Arabian sea. Within the the part played by schoolboys in the There is a simple arithmetical meth- cemetery grounds are flagstone steps, pres our. They are affectionately tist who calls on you so?"

After a battle they would go over the The British New Year in Bombay, and coment or mortar. A near ap-field and gather pieces of shrapnel and or Calcutta, or Delhi is much the proach to the towers is not allowed the shells of cartridges to be made to strangers to the Parsee creed, nor over again into ammunition. Occa-While the Christian New Year is is entrance permitted to the fire tem- sionally a boy thus sacrificed his life. formal and stately on account of Brit- ple, where the sacred fire is kept alive but this did not deter the ardor of his

A model of the towers is shown in Many of the boys followed the init is a single day a observance, while the registry room and an attendant ex- fantry regiments and fought and slept the Parsees take two days. The year plains them to visitors. The attend- with the soldiers in the trenches. The I happened to be in Fombay was the ant explained to me the circular rows boys who remained at home took the Parsee Yazdezardi. 1276, and the New in which the bodies were placed one place of their fathers and brothers who

and one for the men. When the bodies The story is told of a fourteen year On this day I was afforded the op have been stripped of their fieshly old youngster who all alone managed parel of women, from head to feet, in lieve their intention to be useful is portunity of witnessing the Parsee re-covering by the vultures, which takes the higgest acted in Czernovita. He ligious observances, or Zoroastrian perhaps half an hour, the bones re- looked personally after his own cashler services. It was in the Allbiess Eagh, main for a while, and are then and bookkeeper. Other boys peddled dropped into a well in the center, goods among the soldiers and so water flushes. Charcoal is the chief

Some became guides, and many an army automobile had as guide a bright schoolboy who sat beside the chauf-Parsee funeral, which could be ob fear and showed him the right road. It is said that when the history of

Beautiful European City. Agram, in Croatia, is one of the most popular cities in Europe, because years ago its public-spirited citizens got behing a movement and carried out a plan for an extensive park. The city has a population of only about 100,000 persons, but everywhere it is known and spoken of as the city of beautiful parks. Few persons pass through on a train that do not return. They are drawn back by reason of the beauty of the park. The city by the great, rich greenhouse roses one buys -J. Horace McFarland in the spent more than one million dollars

> Internecine Strife. "This lunchroom proprietor adver-

to set it off property."

"I don't see what war has to do with the price of ham and com." "It has a great deal in this case.

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At a military camp in New York state a few years ago a guard inspector, while going his rounds, approached a German sentry, who simply looked at him and marched on.

"Well?" queried the inspector, intending to remind the man of his duty. "Vell, vell! Vot to it?"

"Don't you want the countersign?" "No. dot's all righdt. Der feller in der guard's tent gif it to me. I got it." Boston Transcript.

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de Had No Kick Coming.

"That's awful pitching." What's the matter, my dear?" "That's the second man he's given

pass to first this inning." "I don't see why you should complain. George That's the way you came in to see the game."-Detroit Free Press.

COVETED BY ALL

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His Modest Wante.

Taking the ideal book, bough, jugand maiden of Omar Khayyam as one side of the colid comfort picture, turn writes: "Could you post each week

Against Winter Cold a New Year day, but there seemed hardly a month of the Christian calendar which did not have at least one New Year designated, and in some months there were more.

Kaleidoscopic Bombay observes all one of them gave me a monograph.

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Written by a Parsee barrister in London that day.

All I could note on this occasion was a manufer of the vultures in the paim trees. There seemed to be hundreds of them. They paused for a minute on the outer edge of one the whole specified that an appearance of GROVES TASTELESS chill that day.

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through it includes all the civilization followers of Zoroaster as one of good appeared.

"You had better be careful Miss and all the races and religions of the thoughts, good words and good deeds. The Parsee method of disposing of Flirty, or you will find yourself up Oh, what do you mean?"

"Why, you have such a killing way

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Does not the illimitable ocean vista take you out of yourself?" No. it is the motion of the boat that does that."

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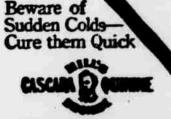
"Why do you soub that young den-Because he gets on my nerves."



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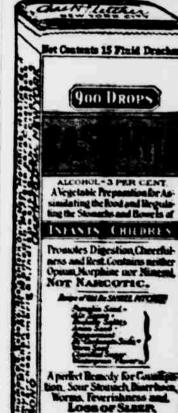


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There is actually no part of the ap I gay and pretty that it is hard to be which ribbons are not playing a promi | serious

nent role this season. The patron saint of weaving, or the goddess of the looms, appears to have turned especial attention to the fostering of this particular article of adornment. The result is that the beauty of ribbons has compelled attention and inspired their universal use. They crown the head and clothe the feet and touch up all the belongings of womankind." Just a few of the pretty things that

have kept the ribbon business brisk are shown in the picture given above These include a pair of boudoir slippers with beels, and a pair withou them, a pair of gaiters with small pendant sachet bag, and a ribbon bag The last is suited to many purposes.

but is found chiefly useful for carry ing the necessary accessories to eve ning parties. There is an immense variety in ribbon bags, including those made for shopping and those for holding gloves, handkerchiefs, slip; ers. they are frivolous-looking affairs, so this season of comparative severity.

Dress Luxuries

so strangely and unexpectedly barred

by the world's greatest designers of

mammoth proportions, nor are willow plumes to be worn by really fact-

Ready-made soles are bought for making the ribbon slippers, and they are covered on the inside with plain satin ribbon. Flowered and brocaded patterns lined with the plain sateen ribbon are used for the upper part. This is cut in the proper shape and sewed by hand to the soles. A very narrow ribbon quilling usually finishes the edges of these gayly attractive slippers.

The gaiters are made by shirring narrow satin ribbon (usually in two colors) over flat elastic. Bows and rosettes finish them, and the addition of tiny sachets is a new touch

Julia Bottomber

Colored applique trimming, such as was used a number of years ago, has tollet articles, etc. Besides these been seen upon one recently created there are workbags with fittings re gown. It is doubtful, however, if it quired for mending or sewing. But will succeed in establishing itself in

the chief herald of the return of the der evening dresses and wraps. exurious in dress is the ostrich plume.

Maxims of the Modiste. ciothes for some time past. Ostrich are among the prettiest of the season. The bretelle corsage is youthful and

sen, unless willows should conted, almost as short as the liter y enter millineryland inter jackets of summer time.

in the season; but estrich plumage has Elegance has superseded the sim- come to stay. In some few instances plicity of the last several seasons, and ostrich handing is being used to bor-

Very pointed and very flaring tunica "fancies," tipe and plumes are all in The bretelle corsage is youthful and order. True, the plumes are not all pretty and contributes a touch of

The new tallored suits will be shor

LONDON LIGHTS ARE COSTLY.

his window, and every time he was cautioned he put up a shade, removing it again immediately the officer turned his back. When told that he would be He's at war with a rival restaurant summoned he replied: "Well, I must sell my cakes." On the night of the across the street." last raid his light was particularly bright.

A motor-driven wheel that can be incerted in place of the front wi

an ordinary biercly to convert it into a motor cycle has been invented.

take prompt advantage of any sun-encouragement. During the first week of the month I have found scabious, candytuft and gaillardies in comfortable bloom. Of course, I expect to see pansies opening every month in the year, and have not often been disappointed. Then the wallflowers, bless them! do not regard winter as of any importance until at last Jack Prost repeatedly freezes them into insensibility. And on Christmas day, in one of the happy Breeze Hill garden years, I have found and gloatingly taken to the home

At Willesden police court Philip Horgesheimer, a German baker (naturalized; of Malvern road, Kilburn, was fined \$25 for failing to reduce his tises ham and eggs at war prices." It was stated by the police that the defendant had a very bright light to

The defendant cont his wife, also a German, to say that he was too busy making bread for his customers to attend the court. A fine of \$25 was imposed, which the wife at once paid.-London Times.